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Events of Interest From Washington

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RAILROAD DEBTS AND CREDITS

The Director General of Railroads, Walker D. Hines, is now earnestly considering the problem of what advances in railroad rates the Government must make to provide for the greatly increased cost of railroad labor, as well as labor in industries supplying coal, steel and other material to the carriers. It seems inevitable that the Government must soon advance rates sufficiently to provide \$400,000,000 to \$500,000,000 additional revenues.

The increased cost of railroad labor since 1917 is \$1,000,000,000 a year; the average annual earning per man have risen from \$1,000 to \$1,500. The increased cost of materials consumed in the production of transportation is more than \$500,000,000 a year and the bulk of this increased cost goes to the workers in coal mines, steel plants, and the other industries producing railroad materials. It is fair to say that of the \$1,000,000,000 added to the cost of producing transportation all but a very small part is in wages.

To meet this increased operating cost the Government has thus far increased railroad revenues through advances in rates by about \$1,000,000,000; so that there is left \$500,000,000 of increased costs that have not been provided for.

For the time being the deficit is being met out of the public Treasury. Obviously this cannot long continue. The railroads today, on the present indicated basis of costs and rates, are taking them at a whole, barely earning the interest on their bonds and practically nothing for their owners.

When the Government took control of the railroads for war purposes it was provided, on the recommendation of the President, that there should be paid for their use about \$600,000,000 a year, or a little more than 5 per cent on the value of the properties. In the first year of Government control the net operating income fell to about 4 per cent and this year without an increase in rates it is likely to be less than 3 per cent.

THE RETURN OF THE RAILROADS

The return of the railroads to their owners on such an inadequate income basis as is shown by the Director General of Railroads in the hearings before Congress, would, it is pointed out, not only mean the reduction or elimination of a large part of railroad dividends, but would undoubtedly mean default in interest payments on many railroad bonds. As Senator Cummins, Chairman of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee, has said, a return of the roads to their owners without a proper financial readjustment would not only mean railroad bankruptcy but would undermine our whole financial structure.

The Director General of Railroads in an address a few days ago in the West stated that on the various railroads the increased cost of labor and materials was from 50 to 90 per cent, while the increase in rates was less than 25 per cent. He suggested that to reestablish the equilibrium between rates and costs it might be necessary to find \$300,000,000 of additional revenues through an advance in rates.

In putting the figure as low as \$300,000,000, the Director General undoubtedly has in mind the possibility of greater efficiency in railroad labor and some reduction in the cost of coal, steel and other products consumed in operation. As for a reduction in the cost of materials it must be borne in mind that these increased costs for coal, steel and other materials are based on a new level of wages, and the consensus of expert opinion is that there will be little change in the level of prices for some time to come.

The general advance in railroad rates made a year ago by the Director General was on the assumption of a possible total increase in wages of \$350,000,000 but since the Long Wage Board made its report, \$650,000,000 additional increases have been granted, and it is understood that a further wage increase may be made in the near future.

Director General Hines states that railroad transportation charges to the public are still so low, compared with all other things, that freight rates are really the cheapest thing in the country. American freight rates, even with a further advance of 10 or 20 per cent, would still be the lowest in the world.

ORGANIZED CRIME

Emboldened by such successes as have attended the J. W. W. and the Tom Mooney agitations, the anarchists of the country have started in upon a

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Sunday morning worship with service at 10:45. Sunday School at 12. Union Temperance service in the evening at the Universalist church.

The Ladies' Club will meet with Miss Hattie Foster, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mid-week service Tuesday evening at 7:30.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Services at the usual hour, 10:45 a.m., Sunday School at 12:00.

Union meeting in the evening at 7:00 o'clock.

The Universalist Mission Circle will meet Thursday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. O. M. Mason.

The sermon last Sunday was to the children and some of the youngest members of the Sunday School had a part in the service.

The regular meeting of the Young Men's Universalist Association was held this week Monday evening in the chapel.

METHODIST CHURCH

Morning worship at 10:45. Sunday School at 12.

Union services with the W. C. T. U. at the Universalist church in the evening.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Cole.

The Foreign Missionary Society will meet Thursday evening in the men's class room in the Methodist church. Mrs. Angie Parlin, whose son is a missionary teacher in China, will be the speaker. She will exhibit pictures and read letters from that country.

The Home Missionary Society will hold its meeting at the Methodist parsonage, Friday evening.

The Children's Day concert was well attended last Sunday evening. Following is the program:

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Invocation

Latin Salutation,

Robert Davis Hanson

The Advantages of Reading,

Helen Elizabeth Clark

Class History,

Myrtle Irene Beckler

Roosevelt, the Man,

Elmer Edward Bennett

The Great West,

Frances Piper Baker

Class Oration—The Triumph of Democracy,

Harold Lindon Bartlett

Music

France As It Is Today,

Vivian Jackson

Presentation of Class Gift,

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Acceptance of Gift,

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Natural Resources of United States,

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Dangers That Menace Our Democracy,

Hay George Parker

Presentation of Gifts to Class,

Clara Sylvene Mason

Gwendolyn Gratié Godwin

How To Make Farming Attractive,

Philip Francis Brown

Value of Friendship,

Cleo Alberta Swett

Life in Colonial Days,

Lilwood Axel Wilson

Valedictory Address,

Ruth Limie Cole

Music

Conferring of Diplomas

Singing Class Ode

Benediction

Honor Part

Elective Part

Excused

CLASSE ODE

Doris Lanrene Moore

Tune—Comrades

Several years we've spent together

In the school of dear old Gould's—

Through the fair and cloudy weather

We've tried s'er our tasks to do.

Our work at G. A. is finished,

And we say good-bye for s'ye;

But the memories ne'er shall leave us

Of our days at dear G. A.

Chorus

Our heartiest wishes and loyalty to dear

G. A., dear G. A.

We, four years have stood together

To protect our Alma Mater;

And we pledge to her forever

To be loyal, kind and true;

To answer to their country's call,

Serving o'er the red, white and blue;

So G. A. we'll stand by you.

Chorus

ALUMNI LUNCHEON

The Alumni Luncheon has come to be

such a pleasant affair that the gradu-

ates look forward to it as much as the

underclasses do to the reception.

Seats for one hundred and fifty had

been prepared and nearly that number

were seated. The genial manager of

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GRADUATION

A little better than last year if such a thing is possible, seems to be the opinion of those who attended the graduation exercises of Gould's Academy. We hear this remark so often that we wonder if there is such a thing as perfection.

Graduation week began on Sunday afternoon when at 2:30 the students were marshaled into the Congregational church to hear an address by Prof. Ernest C. Mariner of Hebron Academy. It was one of those helpful, inspiring talks that made you feel glad to be alive, and was a good beginning both for the week and for the journey of life. Music was furnished by a male quartette.

GRADUATION DAY

Bright skies heralded the approach of one of those rare June days on Thursday morning, and thus it proved to be. "Iam tempus agi res!" in large letters greeted you as you entered Odeon Hall, and before the exercises were over the feeling was that the motto was well chosen.

The class gift to the school was an Honor Roll neatly framed. The marshal was Roger Bartlett and the flower girl, Miss Ruth Verrill. Music was furnished by Pettengill's orchestra of Lewiston.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1919.

NORWAY

Wednesday, a good number attended the supper at the Universalist church, complimentary to all interested in the church. This was the initiatory movement in the drive that is being carried out in all the churches of the denomination in the country, in the reconstruction work.

Wallace Sheen has sold his farm in South Waterford to Harry Charles of Stow. Mr. Sheen sold his stand on Summer street, Norway, in the fall of 1917, and went to faraging. They are soon to return to Norway.

The Heywood Club held an ice cream social, which proved to be an aviation from the community to Miss Ruth Holgate, the teacher on Crockett Ridge.

It was a real surprise from the arrival of her two sisters from Lewiston to the presentation of the June box containing a vacation shower. The contents of the box included books and note paper, toilet accessories, and dainty duds.

A pleasing program was presented consisting of songs and original rhymes, games and dancing. With the closing of the school year, Miss Holgate closes her engagement with the Norway schools. She has been wonderfully successful in the Crockett Ridge school, and all the scholars and the community regret her leaving, as her influence with the young people has been always for the good, and the school has been called "the model school."

The supper and entertainment at the Norway Lake Mother's Club, Wednesday evening attracted a large crowd. The members of the club served a fine supper, and the entertainment by the scholars of the Norway Lake school, Miss Minnie Upton, teacher, presented the program.

Mrs. Ella Charles of North Waterford is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Jason Marr, Water street.

Mrs. Harry McNally of Albany visited her mother, Mrs. Robert York, last week.

Mrs. Emma Paine and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Paine of Worcester, Mass., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hotelins. Mr. Paine received his discharge from the service the past week.

Mrs. Ann Miltell of Millerville has been a guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. Harold Bailey, and family.

Mrs. Edward Carroll and Mrs. George Waters were called to Ellsworth, Tuesday, by the critical illness of their father, who has pneumonia.

Lewis Bowell has finished work in the Carroll-Jefferson baking room, and has employment with the H. E. Webb Packing Co. He will have charge of the repair work at the Norway, Head Tide and Leeds factories.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Banbury, with Walter Smith as chauffeur, have gone to Greenleaf's camp, Hog Island, for a few weeks' fishing trip.

Miss Mary L. Laramore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Laramore, Real street, will graduate from St. Mary's Academy, Island Pond, Vt., June 20. She secured high mark in the final examinations in the Commercial course in which she graduated.

Robert Brooks has received his discharge from the service and has a position with the American Sugar Refining Co., with headquarters in Boston.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured.
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they employ the power of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the best remedy directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by only the best physicians for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is a wonderful medicine in curing catarrh, and other diseases.

Price, CHENEY & CO., Provo, Utah. Q.
Gold by Druggists. Price 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It is connected with the Domino division, and handles both the wholesale and retail trade. Mr. Brooks was in Norway the past week.

Alton Luck has received his discharge from the service and returned home. He has been with the Medical Department at Fort Leavenworth during the war.

Friday afternoon the school children of the fifth grade at Buck's Dam presented Longfellow's "Hiawatha" under the direction of their teacher, Miss Doris Tarr. The day was perfect, and the small people did well. The dramatization of the play is a part of the regular work in the fifth grade reading, and with the setting from nature the play was made very realistic. Tickets were sold this year, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of an electric clock for the fifth grade room.

Over fifty from Oxford Chapter, Order Eastern Star visited Granite Chapter at West Paris, Thursday evening. Oxford Chapter exemplified the work. All report a most enjoyable evening with a cordial entertainment from the West Paris Lodge. Refreshments were served.

The Veranda Club met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Vira Kilgore, Danforth street. A large number were present, and the evening was pleasantly passed with needle work and sociality. The hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. Sarah Page, Mrs. Elizabeth Crommett and their niece, Mrs. Angie Berry, have gone to the Page cottage at Poland camp ground for the summer.

The Universalist Sewing Circle will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bertrand G. McNaught, Crescent street.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for Jonathan B. Miltell, who met his death Friday night near his home in Millerville. The services were largely attended. Rev. M. O. Baltzer, pastor of the Congregational church officiated.

A large delegation from Norway Lodge, I. O. O. F., accepted the invitation to visit the West Paris Lodge, Saturday evening, the visitors working the third degree. A fine entertainment was reported.

More than a hundred from the village went to Norway Center, Friday evening to attend the supper and entertainment at the church. So large was the crowd, the tables were set over five times before all had partaken of the good things. The ladies from the village Congregational church presented "The Old Penobury Pew" with the same ease as in the production at the village several weeks ago. The Center church made a perfect setting for the play, with the old fashioned winged pews.

Berg and Mrs. William H. Bennett returned from their honeymoon the latter part of the week, and Saturday evening held a reception at their home, Hazlehurst Farm, Norway Lake. Many from the village and outlying districts attended. Refreshments were served.

Shoes Wear Longer
When you walk in comfort so do stockings. A package of Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to shake into the shoes gives you that "old shoe" comfort. Allen's Foot-Ease stops the pain of bunions, varus and calcaneus, and makes tight or new shoes feel easy.

Footmen should exercise every effort to maintain clean and sanitary legs and bodies. Persons most fit

to advertise.

SHADE, WATER, AND PROPER FEED, HOT WEATHER HINTS FOR HENS

Plants or Trees Give Better Protection From Sun Than Do Buildings; How to Make Up Good Rations in Summer; Keep Watch for Insects

Shade and protection from the glare and heat of Old Sol mean better and more cheaply matured pullets, more summer eggs from the laying fowl, and a general abundance of hen happiness.

Plenty of shade should be provided,

especially for growing chicks, in order that they may thrive and prosper during warm weather. Shelter furnished by plants or trees is much cooler than that afforded by buildings or other artificial means. Chicks allowed to range in orchards will not only find ample shade and green food, but will benefit the trees as well as themselves by destroying insects and worms. Corn or sunflowers will help to provide the necessary shade, or artificial protection may be obtained by supporting frames covered with burlap or branches of trees a few feet above the ground.

Summer Calls for Care

Although chicks may be hatched from strong, vigorous stock and carefully brooded, their growth will be retarded unless they receive the proper attention during warm weather.

Growing chicks should be provided

with plenty of nutritious food, includ-

ing green stuff, dry mash and grain.

As a supplement to the green food which the chicks will relish on the free range, a grain mixture, consisting of six parts cracked corn, three parts wheat, two parts hulled oats, and one part Kafir corn, should be fed where possible. The ration may be varied according to grain available, providing the feeding value is maintained. As the chicks get older clipped oats may be used instead of hulled oats. In addition to the above feed, a dry mash should be fed in a hopper to which the chicks can have access at all times. A good mixture for this purpose consists of two pounds of corn meal, one pound of middlings, four pounds of rolled oats, two pounds of wheat bran and two and one half pounds of beef scrap. Charcoal grit and ground oyster shell should be available constantly so that the chicks can help themselves. If a continuous supply of skim milk is available it may be fed separately in a pan, and the beef scrap in the above ration should be reduced one half.

Whenever it is possible growing chicks should be allowed free range so that they may obtain as much natural green food, such as grass, alfalfa, and clover, as they need. Green feed is an excellent tonic for chicks, and when they can not obtain it on range such substitutes as sprouted oats, cut clover, alfalfa, mangold lettuce or cabbage should be fed daily.

Clean, Fresh Water Needed

Under ordinary conditions the potato wart disease spreads slowly. It lives

in the soil and on the tubers, so one or the other must usually be transported to introduce the disease into a new field or locality. The spores may be carried into clean soil by drainage from infected soil, on the feet of men or animals, by planting diseased potatoes, by planting diseased potatoes, by planting sound tubers that have grown on infected soil, by the use of manure from animals to which diseased potatoes have been fed, and by garbage into which seedlings from diseased potatoes have been thrown.

Preventive Measures

No method of controlling the potato

wart disease has yet been discovered,

so every preventive measure must be used to keep it from spreading. The warts should be burned. Diseased tubers must not be fed to live stock with out first being boiled. Infected soil should be planted to other crops. Potatoes should not be planted again in infected soil for at least eight years.

Federal and state agricultural au-

thorities are working to prevent the

spread of potato wart, but they will

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INSURANCE OF ALL KINDS.

The reliance that womankind has upon sugar-filled wafers which they supplement to put in crackers is being reported. There was no question about this given for returning soldiers, and complete success of Nettie's "Graham Crackers" among sailors.

Every woman in the metropolis buys or eats which she served, added to the National Biscuit Company's always

sales. Nettie's Graham Crackers are as popular as ever.

To eat one is to create an appetite

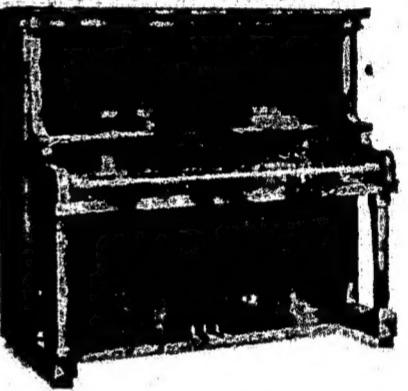
every day for another—and there is no danger of over-eating. **N. B. C.**

Graham Crackers have health building and digestive qualities which make them the national health food.



Music Immeasurably Increases The Joy of Living

It makes no difference in what circumstances the hand of Providence has placed us or where we may find ourselves, music will bring some sunshine otherwise lost and will render its appointed service alike in the palace of the king and in the humblest cottage.



We often hear of people having an ear for music. It is not an ear for music we need, but a heart for it. We want to get Music into our hearts and there will be sunshine radiating all through our lives. We can get a heart for music by surrounding ourselves with it.

MUSIC in the home adds to the pleasure of every member of the family. Even the small children learn to recognize the different selections on the player piano, played sufficiently often. A musical taste and a love for music develops unconsciously. It is essential to later enjoyment to have musical instruments in the house from earliest childhood.

Music in the home is a household benefit. What is more wholesome than for the young people to gather around the piano to sing or dance, or to danc

What is more enjoyable for the older people than a concert in their own sitting room?

Music entertains friends. It binds the family together. It is a solace for the sorrowing—a necessary vent for the joyous. It is a God given companion to man in every mood, and through the wonderful development of recent years, it has been brought within the reach of everyone.

Is Music Rendering Its Full Service in Your Home? Buy a piano, a player piano, for your sake, for your children's sake, for the sake of every member of your family.

INSURANCE OF ALL KINDS.

W. J. Wheeler & Co.

Maine.

South Paris,

ter, Mrs. Belle Chase, at Auburn, this week.

Mrs. Hutchins of Rumford Point is visiting her son, Ben Hutchins, and family.

Fred Morton is in Boston on vacation.

George Terrell has over 200 chickens. W. H. Rand and family were in Lewiston, Sunday.

ALBANY

The Circle will be held at the vestry, Thursday evening, June 19.

Mr. Osborne, who is to supply our pulpit this summer, arrived Friday. He delivered a very interesting sermon last Sunday. The afternoon service is to be held at the Clark schoolhouse next Sun-

day at four o'clock.

Edith and Helen Andrews are visiting at their grandfather's, Abel Andrews.

Mrs. Eben Andrews, who has been visiting relatives at Bethel and Andover, also visited her brother in law, Abel Andrews, and is taking her to her home at North Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bean are spending a few days visiting their sons, F. E. Bean at Oxford, and Herbert and Amos Bean of Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McAllister of Auburn were sick and guests at Harry McNally's.

MOSQUITOES—WHAT THEY DO AND HOW TO GET RID OF THEM

Mosquitoes are man's inveterate torment and foes. At the season, on the undrained prairies of the West and Northwest, in the far North, by wood and pool and mountain meadow these bloodthirsty brigands in mosquito myriads

On the fifteenth of June the coupons on the Liberty Loan Bonds came due. Clip your coupons and buy War Savings Stamps—the safest and best investment the Government has ever offered.

THE HOME CIRCLE

Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Mothers as they join Home Circle at Evening.

The gas stove has effaced the burden of the housewife in the city, but in town and country there is still need for an efficient stove.

The wonderful invention that has been made in the oil stove has made it

when emergencies present.

The busy woman will find the oil stove fills the greatest need when

THE HOME CIRCLE

Pleasant Reveries—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

The gas stove has effectively lightened the burden of the hot weather cooking in the city, but in the small town and country there is a pressing need for an efficient stove for the hot weather. The wonderful improvement that has been made in the early type of the oil stove has made it very efficient, and the price is so reasonable that the oil stove is available to every woman who wishes to find a good summer cook stove. During the hot weather all the cooking can be done on the oil stove, and in winter it is very convenient when emergencies present themselves. The busy woman will find that the oil stove fills the greatest need when there are so many things to be done besides the simple cooking of food. Some of us have used the old type of the oil stove and found it so unsatisfactory that we hesitated to purchase an oil stove; formerly only part of the oil was burned economically, but the burners have been so improved that the combustion of the oil is far more efficient. More oxygen has been brought to the burners converting the flame into a clear, blue flame of excellent heating capacity. The care of the blue flame stove is very simple. A wick will last six months; they come stretched on perforated metal cylinders and there is no difficulty in slipping them into place. Keep the stove clean and never let the oil run out, and we will find the oil stove the greatest help during the heated season.

The fireless cooker is too well known to require any exploring as a summer helper; it has passed the experimental stage, and, is a decided asset to the woman who does her own cooking; it is being used by many busy women and it saves time, fuel and worry. There is a strain and fatigue in standing many hours over a hot stove in the hot weather which the fireless cooker obviates.

Quite often we can not prepare for the table the foods containing the highest percentages of nutrition, because of the time required for the long cooking, but the fireless cooker makes it possible for daily appearance of such food. It proves its value in cooking meats; the result is a better cooked piece of meat and more palatable than when prepared by any other method. We spolt much of our meat in the cooking; especially those meats that we boil, steam or stew. To keep the meat juicy, we should put it into boiling water, as boiling water keeps in the juices and cold water draws them out. In boiling all kinds of food in the fireless cooker, it is better to have the kettle full of water, as it gives many more heat units than one partly full. A large body of water will stay longer than a small body, and when cooking vegetables the kettle should be at least three-fourths full of water, and the covers clamped in place. If oatmeal and vegetables are placed into less water than they absorb they can not become perfectly cooked.

If we are so fortunate as to have a fireless cooker, we will, of course, have full directions for using it, but it requires a little practice and experience before we attain the best results. The important thing to observe is, that when the food to be cooked is placed on the stove one should observe when the steam is coming out, and time it according to direction given in the recipe; this will insure perfect results.

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CANTON

Mr. and Mrs. Earl DeGreeney of Somerville, Mass., have been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Richardson and family.

Miss Iona Farum of Bryant's Pond has been a guest of Miss Ruth Johnson, who has returned home from Bliss Business College.

Mrs. Alma A. Towle of North Turner has been a guest of relatives and friends in town.

Miss Sadie Reed is very ill at her home.

Donald Adams has returned home from Norwich University, Vermont, where he has been a student for the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Gilbert have been spending a week or two in Auburn.

A ball game at the school athletic grounds, Saturday afternoon, between a team from Merrill's Mills, Turner and the Canton town team, resulted in favor of the Canton's score 7 to 5.

A social was held at the high school building Friday evening which was a successful affair. Games and dancing were enjoyed and ice cream served. Music was furnished by Vivian Small and Charlie Dymant.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Waite of Portland have been guests of relatives in town.

Miss Nina Russell of Portland has been visiting her home in town.

Albert Knowles Foster, one of Canton's much esteemed residents, passed away at his home at Canton Point, Wednesday night after a short illness at 84 years of age. Mr. Foster was born at Guilford, N. H., March 22, 1835, the eldest son of Daniel and Averline Bean Foster. He moved to Canton with his parents when he was five years of age and has lived in the same house 79 years. Mr. Foster married Miss Deborah Conant on Dec. 25, 1858, who survived him. One son was born to them, Arthur J. Foster, who lives on the home place, and who has been associated with his father in carrying on the fine intervals farm. Mr. Foster also did a large amount of stone masonry in years past besides his farm work. He has been a valuable citizen and always interested in the welfare of the town. He has served as selectman for a number of years and also as one of the trustees of the town school fund. He was a regular attendant of the Universalist church and a teacher of a Sunday school class. He was an honorary member of Whitney Lodge, No. 167, F. & A. M. He will be much missed as an active, energetic citizen and a kind man in his home. Besides his wife and son he is survived by one granddaughter, Mrs. Winifred Foster Roberts, two great grandchildren, Carl and Sherman Roberts, two nieces, Mrs. Emma McCollister of Canton Point and Mrs. Gertrude Waite of No. Jay, and two nephews, Ernest Dunn of Canton and Fred Foster, who has recently returned from overseas, also several grand nieces and nephews. The funeral was held Sunday at one o'clock, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiating. The burial offerings were very beautiful and included a lovely wreath from the Masonic, white carnations and snapdragons from the Circle, and a spray of carnations from the school children. Interment was at Hillside cemetery, Canton Point.

Children's Day was observed at the Universalist church, Sunday with an excellent sermon and good program. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion.

One of the smart men of this section of the town is C. M. Kimball, who is over 80 years old and has done a man's work farming this spring. He has followed the horses many days while his wife rowing and allows no one to keep ahead of him while hoeing.

RUMFORD POINT

D. A. Gates and family of Dixfield were in town, Wednesday.

Mrs. Fox has returned to her home in Berlin, N. H.

J. R. Ferren is putting up new posts at his ferry and new decking his boat. F. W. Ladd is yarding pulp in Rockbury for Frank Lovejoy.

Walter Forsett and wife of Portland were in town the weekend.

Charles Hopkins arrived home, Thursday after an absence of two years overseas with the lumber units.

F. G. Eames and wife visited in Bethel, Sunday.

William Thomas gave the organ talk, Friday, on his slave days. Elton Knightly took a party to auto Portland, Sunday.

MARSHALL DISTRICT

Miss Ned Briggs called on her aunt, Mrs. Ingalls McAllister, recently.

Miss Myrtle Becker opened the school in this district this week. We wish her great success.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartline and Mrs. Moore were callers at L. Hazelton, Sunday.

Mr. John Swan and friend, Mr. Geo. Kimball of Gilford called at Geo. Briggs, recently.

A drama is to be given at Hunt's Corner in the Grange Hall next Friday evening by the Clark and Dancer schools. A dance after the drama. Come one and all.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Briggs have been guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Briggs, of Auburn.

The district meeting of Old Fellow Lodge, I. O. O. F., will be held the first and third Wednesday evenings during the months of July and August.

The bachelorette sermon of the Canton High senior class will be delivered by Rev. Frank M. Lamb at the United Baptist church, Sunday forenoon, June 22nd.

Mrs. O. M. Richardson, H. Frank Richardson and W. H. Ingersoll were in Portland the past week.

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The district meeting of Odd Fellows will be held at Canton, June 18th. A banquet will be served the guests at Canton Inn.

Mrs. Everett L. Moore and son, Dwight, of South Livermore have been guests of his sister, Mrs. Cora B. Fuller, of Pleasant street.

Postmaster Reichenbach initiated three candidates Friday evening. An impressive memorial service was held for Sister Sarah E. Reynolds, a beloved member. Ice cream and cake will be served at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. Mary Woodward and son of Bath are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Woodward.

Charles Oldham had the misfortune to cut his fingers in his planing mill last week.

The Canton schools close June 27 and the high school graduation will be held at the Opera House in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis T. Gleason, who have been spending their honeymoon at Penwood Camp, have returned to their home in Weston.

Relatives have received an invitation to the graduation from Kent's Hill of Oxford Monday, a former Canton boy.

On the fifteenth of June the coupons on the Liberty Loan Bonds came due.

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NOTICE

The subscribers hereby give notice that they have been duly appointed executors of the last will and testament of Francis P. Putnam late of Rumford in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of the deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereon are requested to make payment immediately.

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Miss Luella Boothby of Melrose, Mass., is the guest of Miss Alice Mason.

Miss Florence Carter is attending summer school at Northampton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Evander Whitman of Norway were guests of relatives last week.

Miss Marion Allen of South Paris was the guest of Miss Florence Debora last week.

Miss A. E. Herlick, who has been visiting her daughter in Boston, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Ham and daughter, Ernestine, who have been spending several weeks with relatives in town, returned to their home in Auburn, Wednesday.

Miss Muriel Park has returned home from Smith College for the summer.

Mrs. Bertha Keniston and family left Saturday for their home in Lovell.

Mr. F. C. Holt and family and Mr. Albin Holt are spending this week in Portland.

The food sale held last Saturday by the ladies of the Congregational Society was a success.

Miss Hazel Kewiston of Yarmouth was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Bertha Keniston, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Springer leave Thursday morning for Columbus, Ohio, where they will attend the 100th anniversary of the Methodist missionary movement.

Miss Raymond Grover has gone to his home in Wiscasset, Maine.

Mrs. Driscoll and two sons have gone to Lovell, Maine, for the summer.

Mr. J. A. Brown of Grand Rapids, Mich., is spending a couple of weeks at Maple Inn.

Miss Kathryn Hanscom was home from Bates College last week to attend the graduation exercises.

Mr. Clyde Bean and two children, Malcolm and Abigail, of Ollie, Iowa, are guests of Mrs. Abby Bean and Miss Annie Cross.

Dr. Edwin Baker and family of Auburn were guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Curtis, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Metcalf and daughter, Theresa, of Farmington spent the week end with Mrs. Metcalf's father, Mr. Seth Walker.

Mrs. Harriet Hibbard, who has been spending her vacation with relatives in Bridgton and South Paris, has returned to Mr. T. F. Hastings.

Mr. A. L. Robert went to Portland, Saturday to meet her niece, Miss Vinie Leno, of Ipswich who has employment at Bethel Inn for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Polson of Framingham, Mass., spent the week end with Mr. Polson's sister, Mrs. Alma Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kilburn, Mrs. B. P. Stevens, Mrs. E. C. Park and daughter, Muriel, attended the commencement exercises at Hebrew Academy, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Keene and Mrs. Clark Dean of Mechanic Falls were guests of Dr. and Mrs. I. H. Wight, Thursday.

Mr. H. H. Bryant of Portland was the guest of Prof. F. E. Hasson, Thursday, and attended the Alumni Luncheon.

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Mrs. Maud Rice of Norway was in town, Thursday.

Mr. Walter Ring of West Paris was in town over Sunday.

Pearl Swett is spending the summer with her aunt in Brunswick.

Mrs. Oscar Schada of Boston is the guest of Mrs. A. Van Den Kerckhoven.

E. E. Hastings, Esq., of Fryeburg was calling on friends in town, Monday.

Word has been received of the arrival of Carroll Valentine from overseas.

Mrs. Agnes Olson of Wilson's Mills was in town, Thursday, calling on friends.

The Warren Emery place in Mayville has recently been sold to Mrs. Thomas Vashaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith and son of Yarmouth are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. A. M. Clark, Monday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mrs. Cleveland West of Errol, N. H., was the guest of relatives in town a few days last week.

Miss Belle Purinton accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Copeland on a trip to Berlin, N. H., last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pratt of Roxbury, Mass., are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. H. M. Farwell.

Mrs. Swett was called home from Poland Spring last week by the death of her daughter, Mrs. Guy Morgan.

Miss Beatrice Clark of Laconia, N. H., was the guest of her classmate, Miss Kathryn Hanscom, last week.

Mrs. George Green and two children of Waterville were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bartlett, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lench and two children of Revere, Mass., are guests of Mr. Lench's mother, Mrs. Lucy Lench.

Mr. and Mrs. George King of Fellsmere, Florida, arrived Friday night to spend the summer with relatives and friends.

Miss A. S. Benn and Miss Cora Benn came up from South Paris, Thursday, to attend the Alumni Luncheon at Bethel Inn.

Mrs. Boyer and daughter, Muriel, who have been spending a few weeks in Portland, have returned to Bethel for the summer.

Misses Naomi Smith and Miss Gladys Sparier, who have been teaching at East Bethel, closed their school, Friday, and returned home.

Misses Adelado Ramsell and Helen Clark went to the Philbrook Farm in Shirley, Tuesday, where they have employment for the summer.

The lady teachers of the Academy went to their homes Saturday, Miss Whitman to South Paris, Miss Moody to Portland and Miss Howes to Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lapham of Rumford were guests of Mr. E. A. Herrick and family, Sunday. Miss Blanche Herrick accompanied them home to spend a week.

Mr. E. C. Bowler, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bowler, Miss Mabel Packard and Mr. Gay Kendall motored from Portland last Thursday to attend the graduation exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Farwell and daughter, Marjorie, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pratt went to Norway, Wednesday to attend Miss Cook's recital at which Miss Farwell played.

Rev. Mr. Little was invited by the Bryant's Pond Lodge, R. of P., to give the annual memorial address last Sunday. The services were held in the Universalist church at 2:30 p.m.

One of the unusual sights in the village was a large bear which visited the yards of Mr. Walter Bartlett on Chapman street and Mr. Clarence Fox on Mason street early Tuesday morning.

Rev. Mr. Little returned from his trip to Northern New York last Thursday. While at St. Lawrence, University he was assigned a part on the program in the commencement exercises of both the Theological and Collegiate Departments. It was Mr. Little's 30th anniversary of his graduation at St. Lawrence.

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Mrs. Effie Stevens returned home, having visited her father, Mr. M. L. Thurston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Inman and son, Walter, and Miss Marston of Andover were in town, Thursday.

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The wedding of Major Spaulding Bisbee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bisbee, and Miss Ethel Hinds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hinds of Portland took place this week Wednesday at 1 o'clock at the Congress Square Universalist church in Portland. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the attractive home of the bride's parents in that city on West street.

The following marriage intentions are recorded with Town Clerk Oliver Pottengill: Gladys Arsenault of Rumford and Mary A. L. Richards of Summerville, P. E. J.; Adam Saltmeris and Susan Balkite, both of Rumford; Herbert Duran of Rumford Point, and M. Abbott of Rumford; Carroll W. Holt and Amelie McNeil, both of Mexico.

Dr. Harold Stanwood is remodeling his residence on Franklin street into a maternity hospital.

The wedding of Miss Yvonne Cote and Mr. Joseph Souei, took place last week at St. Jean de Baptiste church. Miss Cote has for some time past been a clerk in the store of the E. K. Day Company.

The death of Mrs. Andrew Mortenson occurred last week at her home in the Smithville District. She leaves beside her husband, two sons and two daughters, all of whom were with her at the time of her death.

P. H. Booker is visiting his parents in Augusta. On account of poor health, Mr. Booker has been granted a leave of absence from his duties as chemist at the Oxford mill.

Charles Howe has started an auto repair shop in the old pumping station at the corner of Franklin street and Rumford avenue.

Miss Beatrice Hamilton has accepted the position as bookkeeper at the hardware store of Hicks and Pennell. Miss Viola Rawley, who has been serving in the capacity, has taken the position at the Oxford mill left vacant by Miss Hamilton.

Major John A. Hadley and Lieutenant Anna Carrier have both received their discharges from duty in the service of their country. It is understood that Major Hadley will not return to his former position as mail carrier.

William Lee is spending this week in New York City.

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built is assistant stockkeeper for the Maine Telephone and Telegraph Company, and has recently returned from the service.

Miss Mildred Arlene Soule, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Soule of Lochness Road, Stratfield Park, was one of the juniors at Bates College who took part in the contest known on the college calendar as the "Junior Exhibition." Miss Soule's original oration was "The Influence of the World War Upon the Jews." At the junior class meeting of Bates College, Miss Soule was elected vice president.

Rev. Ralph F. Lowe of the Methodist church will take vacation from his duties during the month of July, while Rev. Mr. Gilbert of the Baptist church will be gone during the month of August.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cornish, who have had rooms with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac W. Greene on Franklin street for the past year, have now taken rooms in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Blbee on Franklin street.

Many of the members of the senior class of Stephens High school are at Webb Lake, where they will spend this week at the Summer camp.

M. Memont, the well known baker, is having a large storage constructed in connection with his Mexico bakery.

Mathias Mooney and family have recently moved from Andover and are living in the Virginia District, in the house recently purchased from Max Lechle. Mr. Mooney is working at his trade in the blacksmith shop on Prospect avenue.

John B. Martin and family have left for their summer home in Lovell, where they will spend the summer months at Pleasant Lodge on the shores of Kezar Lake.

Mrs. Percy Sweetser is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties in the office of the Maine Telephone and Telegraph Company, where she is employed as bookkeeper. Mrs. Marion Thomas of Ridlonville, a former clerk in this office, is substituting for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hinds and three children, Ruth, Edward and Dorothy, have gone to Livermore Falls, where they are to spend two weeks with Mr. Hinds' people, Ralph Hinds and family.

George Kahler of New York, who has lately been discharged from Camp Union after three years service, and who has been in France for nineteen months, is the guest of his uncle, W. Peppert, and family of Mexico.

The death of the child born to the wife of N. Enman occurred soon after birth. The body was taken to Berlin, N. H., for interment.

The marriage of Mr. John Bennett and Miss Lila Chamberlain will take place the last of this month. Miss Chamberlain is at present employed in the office of the Rumford Falls Insurance Agency, and Mr. Bennett is employed in the Rumford Falls Steam Laundry in the Virginia District.

Rev. Allen Brown, pastor of the Rumford Universalist church, will spend the month of July and August at his camp on an island in Lake Winnipesaukee. The church will be closed during his absence.

The Rumford Outing Club are spending a week's outing at Four Ponds. In the party are Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Peabody and Mrs. P. L. Roberts, the Misses Ruth and Doreen Peabody, Elmira Belliveau, Messrs. Joe Bovine, Matt Neilson, Henry Murch.

George Appleby, formerly manager of the Rumford theatres, has succeeded William B. Williamson, local manager of the Augusta Opera House.

Miss Priscilla Frow, a freshman in the Stephens High school, has left for Bangor, where she will spend several weeks, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Day.

Mr. Bert Bean of Boston, formerly of Rumford, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alec Quinn of Hemingway street, Virginia District. Mr. Bean formerly managed the Rumford Steam Laundry.

Mr. Fred Bell and family, who have been residing on Knox street, have left town for Aroostook County to make their home. Mr. Bell has been employed as agent for the Metropolitan Insurance Company in this town.

Miss Yvette Gonya, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oville J. Gonya of Penobscot street, is attending the graduation exercises at Villa Marie Convent, Miss Gonya having graduated from there in June, 1918. For the past year Miss Gonya has been assistant teacher of the French language in the Stephens High school.

Mr. Donald Lambert is expected this week to spend the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Greene, of Franklin street.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hutchins will attend the commencement exercises at Bates College next week. Mr. Hutchins is a graduate of this college.

Joshua Young was calling on friends in town last week.

J. F. Harrington and Elmer Cross had pressed hay for W. A. Holt last week.

M. H. Lyon of Portland spent a few days in this vicinity, recently.

Mrs. C. K. Cross attended the graduation at Bethel last week.

L. Yates was in town, buying cattle last week.

Mrs. Flanders and family called on her parents last Sunday.

These who are in town recently were: Cal Cummings, Jim Berryman, Fred Edwards and Roy Cummings.

Frank Ramey is working for John Degan in Albany on the Charles Connor lot.

Mark Brown, who has made his home with Charles Morey for some years, passed away last Thursday. He was a Civil War Veteran.

Fred L. McKeen from Stowham was at Ray Wardwell's one day last week, having some work done on his auto.

Olive Wardwell is home on a vacation.

Fred Barton of Sweden was through this vicinity, selling toilet and fancy articles, recently.

On the fifteenth of June the coupons on the Liberty Loan Bonds came due. Clip your coupons and buy War Savings Stamps—the safest and best investment the Government has ever offered.

Dodge a cold

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Some folks are fortunate enough always to breathe pure air, and never get run down by overwork or exposure. Even those lucky people do not always escape the contagious colds which prevail at certain seasons to such an extent as to be almost epidemic. It is wise to be prepared for troubles of this nature in our climate, and the one all-important thing is to have at hand a safe, efficient and reliable remedy to ward off the trouble and danger of such an attack. For sixty years "L. F." Atwood's Medicine has been a household remedy for emergencies of this kind. It starts up the liver and bowel, prevents congestion, and restores the functions to their normal condition. If you have never used it, get a 50 cent bottle from your dealer, or write for a free sample to the "L. F." Medicine Co., Portland, Maine.

ANDOVER

Mrs. Georgia Hewey, who has been in a hospital for several weeks, returned from Lisbon the first of the week. She has a nurse caring for her.

Florence and Effie Akers, who have taught successfully in the Rumford Center schools, are enjoying their vacation at their homes.

Charles Roberts is cooking for Henry L. Poor on the Lake road.

Major and Mrs. F. E. Leslie from Indiana were in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Katherine McAllister was in Lisbon, Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Newhouse and two children, who have been visiting her brother, E. W. Abbott and wife, returned to their home in Wellesley, Mass., Thursday last.

Mrs. Minnie Akers and daughter, Margaret, are keeping house in E. J. Pratt's rent.

There were a number of auto parties at C Pond last week.

The boys who enlisted in the lumber unit in the U. S. Foreign service and who have been working in Scotland and France for two years, returned home Thursday of last week, having received their discharge. They are: Ira Bodwell, Timothy Learned, Cyrus McClain, Stephen Abbott, Avery Merrill and Fred Thurlow from Andover.

Roger Thurston was at Lisbon, Sunday.

There will be a public auction Friday, June 20, at the home of Mrs. Ollie Lovejoy with Harry Dyer of Hanover as auctioneer.

Mrs. Abbie Poor is much improved in health.

Mrs. Gladys Boulter and daughter have returned to their home in Rangeley.

Irving Hanson, wife and daughter from Rumford were guests Sunday of Holton Abbott and family.

Mattie Cutting substituted Thursday in the school at No. 4.

Rev. Mr. Lakin from Warren, Mo., preached an interesting sermon at the Congregational church, Sunday morning from the text, "We then as workers together with Him, beseech you also that ye receive not the grace of God in vain." Cor. 6:1.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus DeLong leave town this week for Nova Scotia, where Mr. DeLong owns a large farm.

Dennis Page is in town.

William Gregg, who has been very ill, was taken to Dr. Ring's private sanitarium at Arlington Heights, Mass., last week. Dr. A. L. Stanwood accompanied him.

S. W. Marston and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Marston and son have returned from the reunion of Mr. Marston's regiment at Peak's Island.

Supt. of schools and Mr. MacKinnon of Mexico were visiting schools in town Wednesday last.

Mrs. Frank Learned recently received news of the death of her father, Emerich Thurlow, who died at South Portland, June 1, at the age of 86 years. The funeral was held at East Bethel, June 3.

Mr. R. L. Ford from Mexico was in town, buying potatoes, recently.

Ed. Lukin was in town, buying calves, Monday.

Daniel Campbell has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Tavin Campbell.

Mrs. H. L. Thurston spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Bert Dunn, at Andover Surplus.

WEST GREENWOOD

Dick Lawrence spent the week end at George Connor's.

W. W. Hastings had the lines run in his wood lot in town.

The Telephone Company held their annual meeting, June 7th.

Mr. Jordan has been in town buying pressed hay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones spent the afternoon one day last week at George Connor's.

POEMS WORTH READING

ONE OF THE HAPPY FELLERS
(Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution)

I don't complain
When the Lord sends rain—
When the tanks in the sky run over;
For the rain, you know,
Makes the cornfields grow;
An' gives a lift to the clover.

My plans ain't crost
When the Lord sends frost;
An' the hills an' the plains look wrinkle'd;
It's a seasonin' sweet
For the things I eat—
The spice by the angels sprinkled.

I joy' take all
From the spring to fall,
As it comes from the One who sends it;
An' my heart'll beat
Like it thought life sweet;
Till rest in the roses ends it.

MISS WEATHER

Warm me up, Miss Weather,
Till the blue skies burn with light;
Oh, smile your golden beauty,
While dark clouds take their flight;
Hug me up beside you,
With arms of meadow-bloom;
Tall days are sweet with jasmine
And nights with rose perfume!

Wait no more consummation
With east wind and with rain—
Just like in the valley
And roses in the lane!
So warm me up, Miss Weather,
With the sunshine and the bliss;
Your arms of love to hug me,
Your lips of love to kiss!

LOVE TOUCHES WITH ITS GENTLE ROSE

Love touches with its gentle rose
The burning cheek that youth possess;
Where age amid the shadow goes
It is the hand of love that blesses.
In battle's raging flame and fire
The passion of her noble graces
Lights with last fragments of desire
These poor, up-turned-to-heaven faces.

Light baby in the cradle bound
With slumber of the fairy sleeping;
Hot love's feet scarcely touch the ground
As to your downy couch they're creeping.

But unto you, graycard and stale,
That dewy freshness still the same
She brings you, as in Anna's vale
The Olympian loves felt her flame.

WOODLAND LOVE SONG

By Benjie Tieljens
Hark to the woodland, the low, thrilling
hum of it;

Hark to the message that sings in the pine!
Love lies before us, the white golden
sun of it;

Come what may come of it,
Here you are mine!

Love of life, love of love, here we are
part of it;
Here where the wood-odor moves me
like wine.

Pure thrill of living, the joy and the
smart of it;
Deep in the heart of it,
Here you are mine!

Yield me your lips, love, that make me
the thrall of you;
Yield me them glowing, half sky, half
divine.

Lave, how my being cries out at the
call of you!
Oh, give me all of you,
Mine, all, all mine!

WHAT THE ROSES HAID
The bright and fervid sun of June,
Roses down the garden walks at noon,
Where summer roses sweetly blossomed,
And all the summer air perfumed.

The Red Rose said, "I fain would go
Where cool west winds serenely blow;
The garden is too close and small,
Too high and dismal is its wall."

The Yellow Rose spoke up with pride,
"In halls of wealth I would abide,
In par'ys of costly ware,
My perfect form would look most fair."

The Rose of roses was a true friend,
I could n't bear to see her leave,
I would n't let her go.

"My loveliness is much too rare,
In any lovlier lot to share."

The Blush Rose said: "I fain would bloom
Within some lonely sick one's room,
Whose hours of pain and weariness,
My presence there might cheer and bless."

"I wish to rest," the White Rose said,
"Upon the bosom of the dead,
And let my soft and fragrant breath,
Relieve the chilling taunt of death."

The modest Sweet Briar spoke at last,
"My humble lot I long to cast
Among the poor who toil and sin,
Amid the city's ceaseless din."

"I would recall their early days
Of simple joys and peaceful ways,
The country walks wherein they strayed
Through sunny field or woodland shade."

"And through those memories of youth,
With all its innocence and truth,
A tender ray of hope divine,
To cheer their present gloom should shine."

"UNDER THE DAIRIES"

I have just been learning the lesson of life,

The sad, sad lesson of loving;
And all its powers for pleasure or pain,
Been slowly and sadly proving.
And all that's left of the bright, bright
dream,

With its thousand brilliant phases,
Is a handful of dust 'neath coffin lid,
A coffin under the daisies.

The beautiful, beautiful daisies,

The snowy, snowy daisies.

And so forever throughout this wide world,

Is love a sorrow proving;
There is many a sorrowful thing in this world,

But the saddest of all is loving.

The life of some is worse than death,

For fate a high wall oft raises.

And far better than life with two hearts estranged,

Is a low grave studded with daisies,

The beautiful, beautiful daisies,

The snowy, snowy daisies.

And so it is better we lived as we did,

The Summer of love together;

And that one of us tired and lay down to rest,

Ere the coming of stormy weather,

For the saddest of love is love grown cold,

And 'tis one of its surer phases;

So I blesse my lot through with breaking heart;

For that grave enshaded with daisies,

The beautiful, beautiful daisies;

The snowy, snowy daisies.

THIE STORY OF THE ROSE

She cut me loose from my awning stem
In the sweep of the silver bow;

She took me away from my garden home

And the old-time friends I know;

Away from the fold of my crimson clan

Through a ballywallow, dark and cool,

Where she buried my thirsty, drooping lips.

In the depths of a crystal pool,

She brought me forth in the twilight's shade

With a smile, as her red lips pressed

Against my own, and her eyes were bright

As my head leaned to her breast;

And together we wandered forth again

Where the moon danced through the trees,

And the breath of my clan came back to me

On the drift of the twilight breeze.

Our pathway led to the garden gate,

When out through the moonlight clear

Another came up the winding road

With an old time song of cheer;

And side by side on the rustic bench

They sat where the stars shone dim

And when he left for the road again

He took me away with him.

He spent the dusty heat one night

Where I had lain through the years;

And his eyes, half closed in the lone

darkness,

Looked down through the mist of tears;

And he told me there till the gray dawn sleep.

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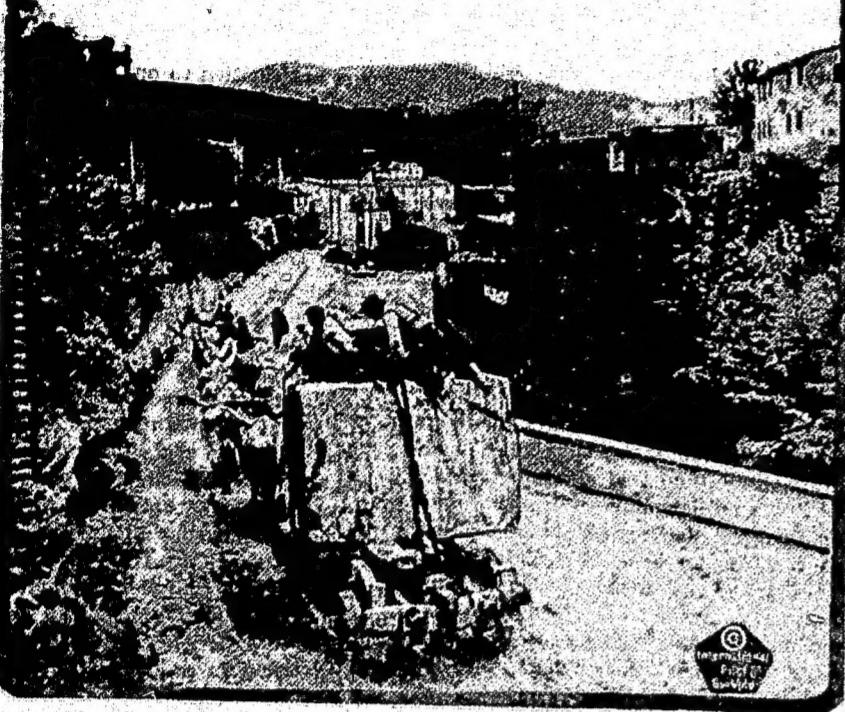
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VINTAGE TIME IN TUSCANY



A Road in Tuscany.

IT WAS the vintage time, and I tried to forget that half of Christendom was plunged in a great war. Leaving the fighting line, I wandered about in the lovely freedom of the hill country of Tuscany, past villages which are surmised rather than seen through the long vistas of grave, still cypresses and around snailing, silvery-green olive slopes from whose summits beckon dignified palace fortresses of the Medici or sterner and more aged ivy-decked towers, writes a Tuscany correspondent of the New York Evening Post. Finally, I reached the road of my morning's quest and stopped where a high wall, after many turns and twists, suddenly opened to a vision of green terraces. It was the gate to the podere upon which Tonino and his forebears have labored for the last century and a half—the family "going to the land," not as serfs, but as willing servants of the soil.

Entering the terraced farm, I skirted a stout wall with ivy spreading lovingly over its gray stones; a hedge of winter roses followed me in fragrant companionship all the way to Tonino's farmhouse, a structure poised bravely over a precipitous ledge of rocks.

The house itself might be called an architectural slant of walls, chimneys, stone flags and steps running off and down in all directions till they seem to merge with the vines and the olive trees and the green sod. I lingered a moment, then followed in the wake of a primitive oxcart, painted bright red, on which the empty grape vats rumbled sonorously as the plodding beasts dragged their draft over the stony road.

Harvesting the Grape Crop.

It was a pagan—almost bacchanalian—picture, as those huge cattle, white and big-horned, moved slowly and prosaically down the way, flanked by grape vines in endless, festive wreaths and festoons strung from tree to tree.

At the lower terrace a host of neighbors was busily at work cutting the dew-moist grapes, dropping the incandescent bunches into picturesque baskets lying all about. The sun played in glad, shifting shadows in and out of the vines and olive trees, while the damp soil, drinking in the solar warmth, exuded a moisture heavily odorous with the abounding vitality of Mother Earth.

The harvesters included many women, some territorial soldiers on leave and a few children. No one, old or young, gave signs of fatigue; the labor was pursued slowly and easily, not at all as a struggle in overcoming time, or resistance. It was this seeming slowness of the laborers in Italy which often gives to the outsider, especially to the nervous and strenuous American observer, the impression of a wastage of time in the accomplishment of things. This apparent slowness, however, is rather a wise restraint and distribution of effort, coupled with traditional skill or special hardiness, which bring about results by degrees as well as by mere expenditure of force.

So, as this harvesting, all of that crowded, terraced acreage had been torn of its grapes by sundown, and all the fruit carried away to the wine press.

Supper for Tonino's Laborers.

At nine in the evening we gathered at Tonino's house for the harvest supper, to which, by immemorial custom, everyone who has labored in the vineyards must be invited. We entered by the kitchen door, near which hung a little oil lamp patterned after those of the Etruscans; at the long table in the main room of this casa colonica sat three generations of harvester—24 men, women and children.

A warm, soothing, "natural" odor of oxen and stable came thinly and not unpleasantly into the feast chamber, which had that dignity of proportion and fine simplicity of lines which speaks of Tuscan taste, even in these humble quarters. A light hung from the center of the ceiling threw a rather dim illumination over the festive board, but ample sufficient for us to see all the good things which awaited our impending attack. First soup was served from huge bowls into deep, ca-

LEG SAVED BY "Y" MAN

Captain in 26th Div. wounded at Chateau Thierry by a shell fragment.

Boston, Mass.—That his leg was saved at Chateau Thierry by the prompt and fearless action of a Y. M. C. A. secretary, is the statement of Capt. Walter W. Austin, 47 School St., Brookline, Mass., who has just received his discharge from the 3rd Bat., 104th Inf., 26th Division. The "Y" man is T. B. Lathrop, pastor of the 1st Congregational church in Branford, Conn., a church which is soon to celebrate its 275th anniversary. Mr. Lathrop returned in January after nearly a year of service with the Yankee Division in the front lines, and marched with his men in the parade, April 25th. For his conspicuous valor at the field dressing station on the outskirts of Toucy Mr. Lathrop has been recommended for the Distinguished Service Cross by Major James H. McDade, also of the 3rd Battalion, who will return next week to his former position in the advertising department of the Boston Transcript.

"The 3rd Battalion, 104th Infantry went forward on July 18, 1918, at two o'clock in the morning. The towns of Toucy and Glavy were taken from the Germans in our advance that day.

I was wounded at about five o'clock

in the morning by a high explosive shell, a fragment of which passed through both thighs, tearing the left leg badly. I was taken from the field by the stretcher bearers to a dressing station in charge of Capt. Kirkpatrick, M. C. of Lynn. He had raised the flag of the army Red Cross over a stone culvert under the road. The Boche observers had spotted the flag and the place was under a terrific and constant shell fire day and night. Fortunately there were no direct hits during the time Capt. Kirkpatrick was stationed in the culvert, nearly 48 hours.

"When I was brought in there were 16 other cases lying on the earth under a stone arch where the doctor was working by candle light. If it had not been dry weather for several days before we would surely have been out of luck. A little rain fell that morning but not enough to get in under the shelter.

"The Captain finally came to me and attended to my wounds. The left leg he could not do much for and he said that if I were not rushed to a hospital I would certainly lose the leg. It was quite a problem to move me from that protected place to a hospital where I could get surgical attention. The motor ambulances could not back up to the culvert. The shells were falling as thickly as rain on every side of us. Before I was wounded I never felt fear of being under fire but believe me with both legs smashed I was scared cold to go out where the shells were breaking.

"Mr. Lathrop, the "Y" secretary with our battalion, was assisting Capt. Kirkpatrick in his care of the wounded.

"He was at work every minute of those 48 hours of the advance in that place. The moment the doctor ordered me to a hospital, without an instant's hesitation, Mr. Lathrop picked me up in his arms, walked out of that culvert, and barely escaping death a dozen times, placed me in a motor ambulance that was about to leave for the rear.

"If as I understand, Major McDade has recommended Mr. Lathrop for the Cross, I for one am here, in any place, to back up that recommendation."

ADOPT "Y" HUT SYSTEM

Service to A. E. F. inspires Chinese.

Paris (By Mail) — Sixty-nine Chinese Y. M. C. A. secretaries have

been so impressed with the work of

the Association among the armies recently held at Versailles, they decided

that similar methods should be adopted in China.

The use of huts like those used so effectively in the Army

camps will bring the work of "Y"

in China directly to all the people,

whereas now it reaches chiefly the higher classes.

Chinese cooled by the hundreds of

thousands were used in the labor

units in France, and these men for

the first time came into contact with

the work of the Association.

Native secretaries were provided as far as

possible.

Some of these, it was decided at

the conference, will remain in France

and some will go to Great Britain to

study in schools of practical arts.

There were thirteen students, as

many preachers, half a dozen teach-

ers, a co-worker and a boy scout sec-

retary among the professions repre-

sented at the conference. These men

came from widely separated parts of

the republic. Manchuria, Shantung,

Tonkin, Szechuan, Chi-Li, Fukien,

Chekiang, Kavashing, Kiangnan,

Saian, Aufnai and Hupeh.

EXPORTS DRAMA TO FRANCE

In the month ending April 22 the

Y. M. C. A. Entertainment Bureau

and the Overseas Theatre League re-

presented in America and sent abroad

125 American entertainers to be ad-

ded to the forces of 250 American and

125 French artists playing for the

A. E. F.

HER IDEAL

By HELEN E. IVERS.

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After a long and boring evening, Roy G—— finally said, "Good night," receiving a very chilly answer on Joy N——'s part. Mrs. N——'s "Good night" was said in a pitying, apologetic tone. After the door closed, she turned to Joy.

"You don't know when you're well off, Joy," she cried. "Here you have the chance to marry a young man with good prospects and who loves you. Yet you spurn him. I had to come in here tonight, for fear Roy would go to sleep, your conversation was so interesting."

It was a fine bit of sarcasm, but Joy did not mind. "He is not my ideal, mother," she said. "This man I marry must be better looking than he is, and I don't want him to have good prospects; he must be enormously rich."

Mrs. N—— sighed. It was certainly no use to talk to Joy.

Two weeks later, Joy went to New Hampshire for her usual autumn vacation with her grandmother. She expected to have a better time than ever this year, because her grandmother had written to tell her that there was a house-party about half a mile away. The party was chiefly made up of young people.

They were a jolly crowd and she enjoyed herself immensely, but all were glad to rest for dinner. While Joy was dressing, Christina James, one of her young hostesses, came into the room.

"You look fine, Joy," she said after surveying her guest. "I want you to look your best tonight, because a man has just come, whom we want you to meet. He's the catch of the season, dear, and as he doesn't care especially about any of us, we want you to see what you can do."

At dinner, therefore, Joy was introduced to King W——, the aforesaid Prince Charming. Her heart throbbed, suddenly, on seeing him. Where had she ever seen such a man before? He was tall and light, with sympathetic dark-brown eyes; a wonderful smile, and an engaging personality.

On the other hand, Joy herself was a bewitching little creature. She had quantities of wavy, chestnut hair, violet eyes, and a clear, transparent complexion. King W——, who admired pretty faces exceedingly, immediately attached himself to her and rarely left her side during the evening, while the other guests nodded their heads and smiled knowingly.

For the next few days, she was in the seventh heaven. Every place that she went, she was accompanied by King, who proved to be wonderfully congenial. It may be added here that he was always thus with every girl he knew—it was this way that endeared him to all the female sex.

It developed that he had a wonderfully mellow voice and nobody but Joy could play his accompaniments suitably.

Two days before she was to go home, Joy went back to her grandmother's to stay there for the remaining time. King was a constant visitor, and she became more and more enraptured.

At the end of her vacation Joy came home, her head completely enveloped in clouds. She did not notice Roy's absence until her mother, who had waited for her to ask where he was, volunteered the information that he was away on business.

One day after her return King called.

He decorously acknowledged Joy's introduction to her mother, and after the latter left he talked pleasantly for 10 or 15 minutes.

"I came to tell you something," Miss Joy, he said.

Joy's heart fluttered. She felt that she could guess what he wanted to say. He went on.

"You know," he said, "it has been inevitable that I marry some day, and my mother promised that she would help me in the search for a suitable wife. I may tell you now that she has succeeded." Joy gasped as he took a picture out of his pocket and showed it to her. "You see, mother is a rather particular and her judgment in finally picking this girl shows her excellent taste. The girl is a dream, is she not, Miss Joy? Of course, it goes without saying that she is rich. Mother would never allow me to marry a poor girl. Why, Miss Joy, are you faint? Your lovely color has completely disappeared."

"Oh, I'm all right," Joy managed to answer. Although her eyes were irreversibly opened to the kind of creature her former idol was, she pulled herself together and remained calm until the end of his visit. Finally he took his leave and courteously bade Mrs. N—— farewell.

Meanwhile Joy hastened upstairs and burst into the room where Joy was. To his surprise she was lying face downward on the sofa. He approached and kneeling beside her gently lifted her head. She started at seeing him, but it was a happy surprise, for Joy had found that ideals aren't all they're cracked up to be."

At suppertime she came down with a smile gleaming on her finger. Her mother looked at it and smiled ruefully.

"Which one, Joy?" she asked. "Have you found your ideal in Mr. W——?"

"Pooh!" Joy answered, smiling radiantly. "Whom do you suppose? At present I am engaged to a poor but deserving young man with good prospects, and some time in the near future he and I are to be married. Mr. W——, well, he was a fleeting delusion, that's all."

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COLOR BANDING POLICE IN MAINE

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that point could hardly be made to stay on their surfaces. However, the work on the whole has been highly satisfactory and Maine is being highly commended for doing it.

The complete list of revised routes and their markings are as follows:

No. 1—Atlantic Highway

Marking: Blue band, flanked, top and bottom, with narrow white band.
Route: Portland, N. H., Kittery, Maine, York Harbor, Kennebunk, Biddeford, Saco, Portland, Brunswick, Bath, Wiscasset, Rockland, Camden, Belfast, Bangor, East Haines, Ellsworth, West Sullivan, Millbridge, Harrington, Machias, Whiting, Pownal, No. Bobbinat, Calais.

No. 2—Capital Way

Marking: White band and blue band of equal width.

Route: Gray, Dixville Junction, Auburn, Lewiston, Greene, Winthrop, Augusta.

No. 3—International Trail

Marking: Red band, flanked, top and bottom, with narrow white band.

Route: Brunswick, Gardiner, Hallowell, Augusta, Vassalboro, Waterville, Fairfield, Skowhegan, Norridgewock, Madison, North Anson, Solon.

(Note—Eventually this marking will be extended to the International border line, North of Jacksonian.)

No. 4—Longfellow Highway

Marking: Yellow band, flanked top and bottom, with narrow white band.

Route: Portland, Gray, Sabbathday Lake, Poland Spring, Norway, South Paris, Bryant's Pond, Bethel, Gilford, New Hampshire State line, near Gorham, N. H.

No. 5—Theodore Roosevelt International Trail

Marking: Red band, flanked top and bottom, with narrow white band.

Route: Portland, Gray, Sabbathday Lake, Poland Spring, Norway, South Paris, Bryant's Pond, Bethel, Gilford, New Hampshire State line, near Gorham, N. H.

No. 6—Umphagog Trail

Marking: White band and yellow band of equal width.

Route: Bethel, Newry, Grafton Notch, Upton, New Hampshire State line on route to Dixville Notch and Caledonia.

No. 7—Mount Desert Trail

Marking: Yellow band and white band of equal width.

Route: Ellsworth, Mt. Desert Island Bridge, Bar Harbor.

No. 8—Aroostook Trail

Marking: White band and blue band of equal width.

Route: Fairfield, Pittsfield, Newport, Bangor, Orono, Oldtown.

(Note—Eventually this marking will be extended North through the entire length of Aroostook County to Fort Kent.)

No. 9—Poland Spring—White Mountain Trail

Marking: Green band, flanked top and bottom with narrow white band.

Route: Poland Spring, Poland, Webb's Mills, Cook's Mills, Naples.

(Note—Between Naples and Naples, follow Theodore Roosevelt International Highway.)

No. 10—Moosehead Trail

Marking: Green band, and white band of equal width.

Route: Newport, Dexter, Dover, Pownal, Oxford, Weston, Greenville, Greenville Junction.

No. 11—Kennebec-Penobscot Trail

Marking: Orange band and white band of equal width.

Route: Augusta, Palermo, Liberty, Belfast.

Important—Wherever a route turns right or left at a fork, or intersects road, a pole approaching this point will be marked with an eight inch square of white paint, immediately at the bottom of the color band, and on this will be either the letter R or L. This will decidedly simple and effective.

INTERNAL REVENUE

Extension of Time Granted Some Returns

To Taxpayers:
Time for filing April returns covering Section 882 (receipts, painting, etc.) and Section 883 (stocks) is further extended to June 26, 1919.

Time for filing May returns covering Section 882 (receipts), Section 883 (stocks and see above), Section 884 (manufacturers of automobiles, medical instruments, sporting goods, clothing, ready, etc.), Section 885 (receipts, paintings, etc.), Section 886 (receipts, paintings, etc.), Section 887 (receipts, paintings, etc.), Section 888 (receipts, paintings, etc.), Section 889 (receipts, paintings, etc.), Section 890 (receipts, paintings, etc.), Section 891 (receipts, paintings, etc.), and Section 892 (receipts, paintings, etc.). These will be extended to July 26, 1919.

Each W. M. Jones, Collector.

An Old Remedy for Children

Mother Grey's Friend Powder for children have been used by mothers for over 20 years. For bronchitis, hay fever, asthma, toothaches, diarrhoea, colds, rheumatism, etc. They break up easily in 30 seconds and regulate the bowels and digestiveness. Get a package at your druggist's in one when needed.—1st.

NATIONAL CAPITAL

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campaign of organized crime, and the attempt upon the life of Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer is clearly a part of the scheme to terrorize the country. A Socialist politician says that anarchism is a form of insanity, and incidentally he puts in a good word for his own queer cult—to which others may agree unless the socialist bug has bitten too deep. In which case it becomes one of the breeders of violence, it is cropping out with alarming frequency.

In the debris scattered about the Palmer home there was picked up an inflammatory circular, in which appeared these words: "The time has come when the social question's solution can be delayed no longer. Class war is on and cannot cease but with a complete victory for the international proletarians."

Organized crime, directing its guns against organized government can do nothing but strengthen the Government. There were others to succeed Lincoln, Garfield, and McKinley; just as there are many men who might have carried on the work of the Attorney General had he lost his life. "International proletarians" are not, as the circular declares, arrayed in opposition to the Government; for in this country, and in all the other Allied countries, the "international proletarians" were the ones who fought the war for justice and freedom; and if there is—as the President stated in his recent message, a "great awakening"—then the dawn that is beginning to show, was won by the proletarians. Proletarians have at every turn of affairs stood against organized crime.

Those who have instituted "organized crime" are doing so under the theory that theirs is a class war. But they are the same impostors today that they were in the days when they practiced the trade of buccaneers at sea and highwaymen of the road; the same as when they tried to pull off a revolution in Seattle; or farther back when they attempted to terrorize Chicago through the Haymarket riots.

Organized crime is likely one of the aftermaths of war; and it must be suppressed. This class of violence admits of no argument since it represents deeds for which jails and prisons have been built in every town and city in the land, to take care of the enemies of society.

The "proletarians" of America have always settled their affairs at the ballot box. The murderers who believe that this is a time to organize their practices are not "proletarians" at all. They are plain criminals. And no respectable Government can countenance organized crime against organized government. Efforts of the Federal Government are being vigorously directed towards rounding up these evil forces in our own country, and anarchism will speedily remove its domicile to quarters enclosed behind prison bars.

WHAT WILL BE DOING NOW?

One of the reasons given by the National Woman's Party for the impatience with which they pressed suffrage, was that "we want to get this job over and get at something else." Even when they were picketing they insisted that there "are a lot of other things to be done." Two very fine national suffrage headquarters have been maintained in Washington for several years. There is joy in both of these establishments over the victory in passing the Susan B. Anthony amendment. The next step will be a general campaign in the States that are doubtful. When the finishing touches are put onto the great task, it will be interesting to follow the "something else" that the good women of the Nation will turn their attention to.

BRYANT'S POND

Fraternal Lodge, K. of P., held their memorial services on Sunday afternoon, June 15. The address in observance was delivered by Rev. J. H. Little of Bethel.

The graduating exercises of the Westbrook High School will be held at the Opera House on Wednesday evening of this week. Bean's orchestra will be in attendance. The class numbers this year, as follows: Homer Parsons, Lloyd Hathaway, Cleaver Jordan, Thomas Parsons, Carlton Lapshay and Baylora Hathaway.

Summer services at the Universalist church will commence the last of July and continue through August. Chester Miller of the Pauls and Norway church will again supply here.

The Hedges Littlefield farm has been leased to T. B. Stevens the liveryman.

Owen Davis has been appointed as assistant mail carrier on route 2.

Archie Verrell, who has been a G. T. agent here for a number of years, is to be transferred to the Gorham, N. H. office.

Harold H. Gaines will soon move to North Park, where he is to have charge of the business of the Wheeler Lumber Company. The tenement occupied by his family here has been leased by Charles A. Duglass.

Mrs. Anna Billings returned Tuesday from a visit at the home of Lettie Howe at Gorham, N. H.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

GRADUATION

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The Inn gave over the use of the house and served a luncheon that more than satisfied everybody, and all went away feeling that the afternoon had been well spent.

President George E. Rich presided and introduced as the first speaker Leon V. Walker, Esq., of Portland, of the class of 1898, who gave a very pleasant talk. The next speaker, Mr. H. Bryant of Portland, a former student of the State and the part they had played in the development of youth. Prof. Hanscom spoke of the future of the Academy.

A gift of \$1,000, to be known as the Gideon A. Hastings Fund and given by Mr. William W. Hastings in memory of his father, was announced by E. C. Park, Esq., treasurer of the Academy. Another gift was the picture of Gen. Pershing presented by the class of 1916 in memory of their classmate, George August Mundt, who had made the supreme sacrifice. Prof. Hanscom made the presentation in behalf of the class and sub-master Chas. L. Pollard accepted it for the school.

The meeting closed with the singing of school songs under the leadership of Mrs. John W. Carter.

The officers elected for next year are: Pres.—F. B. Merrill. Vice Pres.—E. M. Walker. Sec.—Anna Hamlin. Treas.—Mrs. O. M. Mason.

Ex. Com.—H. C. Rows, Mrs. E. S. Kilborn, Harry Jordan, Marion Frost, Mrs. W. B. Twaddle, Mrs. Alforette Edwards, Herman Mason.

BALL GAME

The ball game between the Alumni and the Academy team proved one of the most exciting games of the season.

The score: GOULD'S

	ab.	bb.	po.	a.	c.
Hanscom, ss.	3	1	0	2	1
A. Young, rf.	4	0	0	0	0
Rand, 3b.	5	1	3	2	0
P. Fowler, p.	3	1	1	5	0
Robinson, lf.	3	0	0	0	1
W. Van, ct.	4	0	0	0	0
L. Van, 2b.	4	0	1	0	1
Bryant, 1b.	4	0	10	0	2
Bartlett, c.	3	1	0	2	0
	33	4	13	11	4

ALUMNI

	ab.	bb.	po.	a.	c.
Mitchell, c.	4	1	1	1	0
T. Brown, ss.	4	1	3	2	1
H. Bean, 1b.	3	0	10	0	1
W. Twaddle, 2b.	3	0	2	5	1
H. Young, p.	4	1	2	7	0
G. Twaddle, 3b.	4	1	1	1	1
Cunningham, lf.	2	0	0	2	0
Hinchliffe, lf.	2	0	0	0	0
Kendall, cf.	4	0	6	0	0
Cole, rf.	2	0	0	0	0
Littlehale, rk.	2	0	0	0	0
	34	4	17	15	6

RECEPTION

The annual reception on Thursday evening given by the graduating class to their friends and the school was well attended.

Those in the receiving line were: Mrs. W. O. Straw, Mrs. E. C. Park, Prof. and Mrs. Hanscom, Miss Moody and the graduating class.

Following the reception a social dance was enjoyed and refreshments of punch were served.

GROVER HILL

Mrs. Fred A. Muadl attended the graduation exercises of her nephew, Am. Roy Grover, in Gorham, Me., June 13.

Mr. O. F. Russell from Haverhill, Mass., was the guest of his brother-in-law, Alfred J. Peaslee, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Grossi were to Rumford, Thursday evening, June 13, to attend the commencement exercises of their son, Miss Gladys Barker.

Mr. George Hapgood and daughter, Mrs. Elsa Parsons, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Lyon.

A. J. Peaslee is pedaling timber for G. Grover.

Mr. Milford Brown from Albany was a recent caller at the home of his brother-in-law, True Brown.

OLMEAD

Mrs. Alice Marr and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Edward Springer and son, Henry of Portland have been spending several days at their cottage here.

John Richardson and family went to Bethel last Wednesday by auto.

Miss Esther A. Parsons was in Bethel, N. H., on Saturday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maker of Rumford have been visiting his sister, Mrs. H. B. Wheeler, for a few days.

T. G. Eastman of Gorham, N. H., was a recent visitor to town.

BETHEL AND VICINITY